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# MANDATE REPLY RECEIVED ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF PORAS

## INVITE U. S. TO SEND DELEGATE TO MEETING

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, March 1.—The reply of the council of the league of nations to the American note on the mandates question was delivered to the American embassy today. Complete satisfaction of claims of the United States relative to the Japanese mandate over the island of Yap is understood to have been given in the note.

The answer to the American proposal has been couched in very conciliatory terms, says Le Matin. One plan advanced would leave the island of Yap under Japanese mandate but would give control of the international cable station there to America.

The council of the league of nations in its reply to the American note regarding mandates, invites the United States to send a representative to the next meeting of the council in April, it was learned here this afternoon.

Concerning the island of Yap, the reply says the council was obliged to accept the decision of the supreme council. It indicates, however, that the whole question may be reopened if the Washington government were fit to send a plenipotentiary to discuss the matter.

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—State department officials are withholding judgment on the note on mandates prepared by the British government and the council of the league of nations until the full text is received, but it was indicated that if the notes have been correctly summarized in press dispatches, they will be unacceptable.

## SENATE TAKES UP NAVY BILL

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—The senate went into executive session today to consider the naval appropriation bill on which there has been a two days' fight. The motion was made by Lodge early in the day. Foxworth, of Washington, in charge of the measure, declared "The United States is confronted with a very critical situation in our foreign relations."

## ERECT MONUMENT TO QUEEN ELIZABETH

(By Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, March 1.—A monument dedicated to Queen Isabel of Spain who materially aided Christopher Columbus in his search for a new world, may be erected here. The movement was launched at a recent banquet of bankers and merchants. A similar monument to Hernando Cortes, the intrepid Spaniard who conquered Mexico from the Aztecs, was suggested, but the idea was not enthusiastically received.

It is hoped to unveil the monument to the queen at the time of the centenary of Mexico's independence next year.

## AMATEUR BOXING TOURNAMENT MARCH 31

(By Associated Press)  
PORTLAND, Ore., March 1.—Amateur boxers from all parts of the Pacific northwest are expected to participate in the Pacific Northwest boxing championship tournament to be held here, probably on March 31 and April 1. The tournament will be under the auspices of the Army club.

## HOUSTON MUST SHOW FILES OF TREASURY

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—Secretary Houston is "directed" in a resolution adopted by the senate judiciary committee today to produce complete treasury files and correspondence relating to foreign loans.

Members of the committee said the resolution was practically a "quantity subpoena" in its form. The resolution was introduced by Senator Reed, of Missouri, author of the bill to prohibit further loans to foreign governments, and was adopted in executive session. Committee members said it made it "mandatory" for the secretary to appear before the committee tomorrow with full correspondence.

## BANDITS HOLD UP MESSENGER; MAKE BIG HAUL

(By Associated Press)  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 1.—Four armed men robbed George Williams, 60 years old, a postoffice messenger, of three pouches of registered mail today, the value of which has not yet been determined. The bandits waylaid Williams, abducted him in an automobile to a point 15 miles north of here, and handcuffed him to a tree.

## GRAND JURY INDICTS BUILDING COMBINE

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, March 1.—Indictments were returned by a special federal grand jury investigating the alleged building material combine, against 78 corporations and 42 individuals, charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

## CARUSO UNDERGOES ANOTHER OPERATION

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, March 1.—Enrico Caruso underwent his third operation for the removal of pus from the pleural cavity today. His physicians announced he is resting comfortably.

## CALIF. SENATE PASSES KING TAX MEASURE

(By Associated Press)  
SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 1.—The King taxation bill was sent to the assembly today after passage by the senate last night, 27 to 13. It was referred to the committee on taxation and revenue. Final action is expected probably tomorrow.

## SUPREME COURT MAKES RULING ON MINE CLAIMS

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—Mining claims "must be distinctly marked on the ground so its boundaries may be readily traced," said the supreme court here today in deciding in favor of the Silver King Coalition Mines company in a 12-year-old fight waged by the Conkling Mining company.

A review of the court's opinion showed the right of the Conkling company to a body of ore lying under its claim but within the limits of the adjoining patent was denied, although it was erroneously interpreted when first delivered yesterday as being in favor of that company's contention.

## DOCTORS HOLD NO HOPE FOR CHAMP CLARK

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—Hope for the recovery of Representative Champ Clark was virtually abandoned today by his physicians. The Democratic house leader and former speaker, who is ill with pleurisy and a complication of other diseases, remained in a comatose state most of this morning, and apparently was losing ground.

## LORD'S PRAYER ON HEAD OF A PIN

(By Associated Press)  
NEWBURN, N. C., March 1.—J. O. Lowder has on display at his shooting gallery in this city an ordinary steel pin on the head of which is engraved the Lord's prayer.

The engraving is the work of C. H. Baker, of Spokane, Washington, and the job required three years to complete, according to Mr. Lowder. There are 65 words, 254 letters and 19 punctuation on the pinhead, and each is so perfectly formed that beneath a magnifying glass they stand out clearly and can be read with ease.

## ADVOCATES SERVING OF CORN BREAD

(By Associated Press)  
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 1.—In a public statement issued here, M. E. Ryan urges "Serve more corn bread in order to promote the general health of the people and insure the farmer against impending bankruptcy."

## GRIGSBY UNSEATED IN FAVOR OF WICKERSHAM

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—George C. Grigsby, Democratic delegate from Alaska, was unseated 132 to 162 today. James Wickersham was seated. The term ends Friday noon.

## CHILE WILL ATTEMPT SUGAR CANE GROWING

(By Associated Press)  
VALPARAISO, March 1.—Sugar cane growing is to be attempted in northern Chile. Experiments are now in progress under the direction of a Spanish expert, and work soon is to be started on canals to irrigate the lands recently purchased by a sugar company at Yana.

## PREMIER DEMANDS GERMANY MUST PAY

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, March 1.—Germany, presidential guard fired upon a mob force with the pills here has made reparations officers of approximately thirty billion gold marks or about \$7,500,000,000, it was understood outside the conference after German Foreign Minister Simons had finished his statement to the conference.

Premier Lloyd George replied in substance that unless Germany had something more to offer than had appeared on Simons' statement, there was no need for continuing the conference. The suggestion by Premier Briand in the reparations conference that "Germany's pockets be searched" has found cordial advocacy in several quarters here.

Premier Lloyd George said the question of Germany's taxation of wine, beer and tobacco would be one of the subjects discussed. The Morning Post declared, "We ought to sit on Germany's head until France again is a first-class European power."

## TO HEAR LANDIS CASE TOMORROW

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—The impeachment charges against Federal Judge Landis were referred by the house judiciary committee to a subcommittee today, with instructions to report on them tomorrow.

## YACHTS WILL RACE OFF VANCOUVER

(By Associated Press)  
VICTORIA, B. C., March 1.—Puget sound yachts from Seattle, Vancouver, Tacoma, Victoria and Everett will participate in the races at Vancouver during Labor day week of September for the Isherwood cup recently presented by J. W. Isherwood, London, England, naval architect. This race will be under the auspices of the Pacific International Yacht Association, and will be for the coast championship in Class B boats. Several California yachts are expected.

## BANK SAFE BLOWN; BURGLARS GET \$7500

(By Associated Press)  
BOONE, Colo., March 1.—The Citizens State Savings bank here was broken into by automobile criminals last night. The safe was blown and \$7500 in money and securities was taken.

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## MEXICO HAS EYE ON BOLSHEVIST TROUBLE MAKERS

(By Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, March 1.—Mexican, German and Russian agitators, who have been conspicuous in every public demonstration held recently in this city, are under close surveillance and will be dealt with as political intriguers, said a statement issued last night by Rafael Zuburan, secretary of commerce and industry.

Overthrow of the government and establishment of a soviet regime was apparently the object of the radical leaders, the secretary said. American agitators have been exceedingly active the last few months.

## ANTI-REDS GAIN PART CONTROL OF PETROGRAD

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, March 1.—Partial control has been secured in Petrograd by the anti-bolshevik forces, according to the French foreign office.

This fact, it is declared, has been reliably established through information received from the French mission in Helangfors, Finland.

The extent of the successes won by the opposition to the bolsheviks is uncertain. The recent uprising in Moscow has been "stopped for the moment" according to the foreign office information.

## PLEADS TO KEEP AUSTRALIA "WHITE"

(By Associated Press)  
SYDNEY, N. S. W., March 1.—Plea for an increased population to keep Australia "white" were voiced in an address here recently by Premier W. M. Hughes of Australia.

"Boost your country; remain there and bring others," he said. "Five million Australians already here maintain a white Australia. We should go about justifying our pride of citizenship in this Australia of ours."

## FRENCH SUMMER STARTS MARCH 14

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, March 1.—Summer time this year will begin in France on the night of March 14. Last year summer time was inaugurated in February but the cows are reported to have gone on strike and refused to be milked an hour earlier, the cocks failed to crow until their regular hour and the farmers made numerous complaints to the ministry of agriculture against the bringing in of summer time in the worst winter month. Summer time will end October 24, 25.

## AMERICAN WOMEN ARE GROWING TALL AN HEAVY

(By Associated Press)  
STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., March 1.—American women are getting taller and heavier, Dr. Chas. D. Mosher, medical advisor for women at Stanford university, has announced, after comparing records of 4023 women who have entered the university during the past 20 years. Modern fashions and increased physical activity among women are given as reasons for the increase. The present styles, Dr. Mosher said, do not interfere with physical growth as did the styles of other generations.

## MOB MAKES ATTACK ON PANAMA'S PRESIDENT

## PRESIDENT DEFENDS ACTIONS OF B. BARUCH

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—President Wilson came to the defense of H. M. Baruch and John D. Ryan who had been charged by Representative Mason, of Illinois, with profiteering in copper while serving the government during the war, in a letter sent to Garrett, of Tennessee.

President Wilson denied that either Baruch or Ryan had anything to do with price fixing negotiations, for which he said, Judge Robert S. Lovett, priorities commissioner during the war, was responsible in initial stages.

## SENATORS FEAR FILIBUSTER ON NAVAL MEASURE

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1.—The naval appropriation bill today came before the senate, with leaders fearing a filibuster that would kill all chances for passage at this time of congress.

Senator King, of Utah, served notice that he "would talk until the senate was satisfied" to eliminate the \$1,500,000 item for a naval base at Alameda.

## BOMBAY STRIKE IS STILL UNSETTLED

(By Associated Press)  
BOMBAY, Mar. 1.—The labor situation in Bombay is still unsettled, pending a decision whether a mill strike affecting 100,000 operatives will take place. Three thousand workmen in the Kohinoor mill are still out. They have formulated their demands but the employers have not yet considered them.

## FALL NOT AFTER POST SAYS FRIEND

(By Associated Press)  
SANTA FE, N. M., March 1.—That United States Senator Fall may not accept the post of secretary of the interior but may serve out his term in the senate was declared by Mark B. Thompson, of Las Cruces, a close friend.

## SPRUCE SELECTED AS ALASKA'S TREE

(By Associated Press)  
JUNEAU, Alaska, Mar. 1.—Alaska will be represented in the forest of states being laid out in Los Angeles by the chamber of commerce of that city, Governor Thomas Kings, Jr., announced recently. A tree, probably an Alaska spruce, will be sent south to represent the territory.

(By Associated Press)  
PANAMA, March 1.—One person is dead and four others are suffering from wounds received when the presidential guard fired upon a mob which broke into the executive mansion here yesterday.

Domingo Turner was the man who was injured. He was the chief organizer of the demonstration here when General Pershing visited the canal zone last year. American troops arrived at the home of President Porras just in time to save the president's life.

(By Associated Press)  
MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 1.—Costa Rican forces numbering 2500 have been sent to the Panama frontier by the government, say dispatches received here today.

## NEW RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, March 1.—Lloyd's agent at Riga, the capital of Estonia, sent a cable message Monday which was received here today reading: "It is reported, and we attach credit to the report that a revolution has broken out in Petrograd and Moscow."

## LAST BRITISH OFFICER HAS LEFT SIBERIA

(By Associated Press)  
VANCOUVER, B. C., March 1.—Russia has lost that last bit of living, tangible evidence that she once expelled British troops, heard the rapid fire of British machine guns and the unfamiliar British orders barked out on the parade grounds, Captain N. A. L. Stilling, the last British officer to leave Siberia, having arrived here recently.

Captain Stilling was a member of the General Knox mission which went to Siberia to help Admiral Kolchak.

## POLICE RAID MANY EXCHANGE HOUSES

(By Associated Press)  
VIENNA, March 1.—The wild speculation in foreign monies here has caused renewed activity on the part of the police in raiding "exchange coffee houses" and private banks. They have seized many millions of crowns, but made the biggest haul when they tapped the wall of a taxator on one bank and found a concealed door to a safe in which were 22,000,000 crowns in American, English and other foreign monies.

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